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TRACKING THE LOCATION OF ITEMS
WITHIN A CONTROLLED AREA

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed February 24, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 21 of this paper.